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Weekend closure on Ridgeland Avenue over I-290

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that repairs to the bridge carrying Ridgeland Avenue over the Eisenhower Expressway (Interstate 290), in Oak Park, will require a full closure at the bridge, weather permitting, from 10 p.m. Friday, June 25, to 5 a.m. Monday, June 28.

A detour will direct Ridgeland Avenue motorists to Madison Street, Central Avenue and Roosevelt Road. Motorists should also expect occasional overnight lane closures on I-290 at Ridgeland Avenue during that time.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve 2,779 miles of highway and 7.9 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Year One included approximately \$2.7 billion of improvements statewide on 1,706 miles of highway, 128 bridges and 228 additional safety improvements.

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